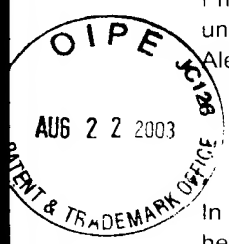


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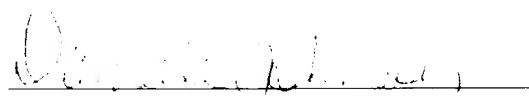


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In response to the Office Action mailed July 22, 2003, this Supplemental Amendment is being filed to supplement Applicant's Amendment dated May 19, 2003 which omitted the marked up copy of the specification.